Don Emilio Palmero Can Talk English

Baseball Works Wonders with Cuban Twirler of the Giants.

WEATHER AT MARLIN REFUSES TO REFORM

But McGraw Gives His Men Two Sessions of Work-Tesreau Wild on Mound.

By HEYWOOD BROUN.

Marlin, Tex., March 10 .- For teaching languages nothing can compare with baseball. Take the case of Don with baseball. Take the case of Don-Emilio Palmero, the Cuban lefthander, who arrived in Marlin to-day. When he came to the training camp a year ago he was so inept in English that he nearly starved to death until Chief Myers taught him to bridge the diffi-culties of the menu with the phrase. "Bring what you got." But a season of baseball in America has made a dif-ference.

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Jeff Tesrean took the mound this morning and pitched with such violence that few of the waiting batters were loath to face his fast ones, coupled, as they were, with only spring control. Poll Perritt is another work man who is far advanced. The former and Merkle have taken up chess.

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large probably figures that the average yeakers ball player is still a trifle sky in the landingum

Yankees' Defence Above

Much of That Much Desired conventional midseason days.

McGraw Plays Joke on Ganzel

Marlin, Tex., March 10.—John J. Mc-Graw was implicated in a practical joke to-day, Inman, the "nut" who is attempting to win a place on the pitching staff of the Giants, has become a nuisance, and the coming of John Ganzel, of Rochester, gave the

New York manager an idea.

He confided to Ganzel that he had one excellent young pitching product whom he would be unable to use this season, and Dick Kinsella corroborated his tip as to the ability of Inman.

Later a fake telephone message from Branch Rickey asking terms on the young phenom was arranged. Ganzel's interest was aroused to such an extent that he reported at the field before 9 o'clock this morning to see the youngster work.

it was Inman who gave the thing away, for no sconer did Ganzel step behind him to watch him work than he began to reveal his plan to marry the daughter of a millionaire and end the war in Europe.

To such an extent has Palmero mastered our tongue that he is able to have his eggs fried on both sides and to obtain his coffee in a large or a small cup, as he may desire. Moreover, he has learned to overcome the limits of his vocabulary with vivid pantomime.

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Although Palmero is late in reporting, he is naturally further advanced than any of the other players on account of the recent games in Cuba, and it is expected that he will give Ferdinand Schupp a close race for the job of assistant left-hander of the New York Giants.

Chief Meyers was the only person in the Giant camp last year who could converse with Palermo in his native language, but since then Bill Hanna has undertaken the study of Spanish So rapidly has Mr. Hanna progressed in the last ten months that he is able to say "The dog! see is a large one." "The man runs swiftly to the brook" and "My cousin's sister has a red hat." It is believed that this will be a great comfort to Palermo.

The practical joker was somewhat late in getting a start this season, but he is here. A day or so ago some person or persons, unknown, poured a pail of water from the third floor upon a baseball quartet and a visiting pian-ist. Last night Larry McLean, Sandy Piez and Homer Giasa received letters purporting to come from McGraw in which they were informed that they would be fined 25 each on account of the water throwing episode. Larry McLean is too much of a joker on his own account to be taken in, but he helped the hoax along by pretending to condole with the others.

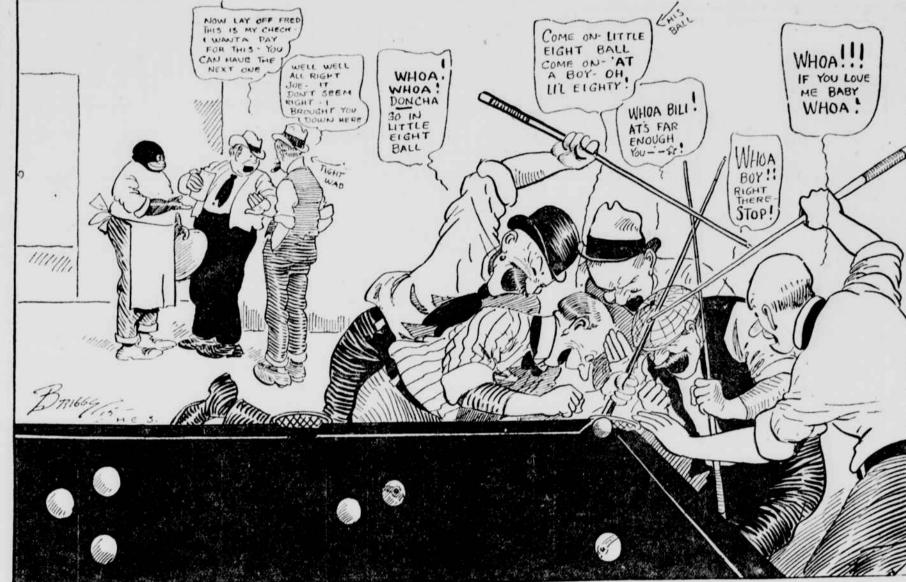
Sandy Piez asserted roundly that news in bed when the water was thrown and offered to fight any and all of his accusers. Even more dangerous was the demeanor of Homer Glass, the silent Cherokee. The Indian said not a word, but whenever McGraw walked by he shot a look at the manager in which glance one might read that mentally McGraw had been scalped and burned at the stake. At a late hour McGraw found out about the joke and denied The practical joker was somewhat

tally McGraw had been scalped and bring the brook. The man runs swiftly to the brook. Man runs swiftly to the brook. The guilty man still is at large.

In spite of the positive assurances given by the citizena of Marlin, the weather to-day showed little inclination to reform. There was no snow, but a bitter wind made practice almost as difficult. Nevertheless, McGraw but abitter wind made practice almost as difficult. Nevertheless, McGraw but abitter wind made practice almost as difficult. Nevertheless, McGraw but abitter wind made practice almost and the spice. From Rechester they figure it may be possible to get back to the big save his men two essions of basebal. Curiously enough there are not more than two or three sore arms in camp. Several of the veterans have worked into condition rapidly enough to turn on the speed.

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Kelly Pool-Influencing the Ball



TIP TOP SCRIBES HAVE CLOSE CALL

ball player is still a triffe shy in the arts and certain social graces. Which doesn't bother the ball player one fifth of a scintilla, as the players' opinion apon certain phases of society is not entered in the public prints. There has been a cabaret arranged at the De Soto each night this week in conjunction with the automobile show. At this cabaret the one-step and the fox trot predominated. A number of the players sat in for a while last night, but most of them left early in disgust. Not at the Savannah way of dancing, but at the dances thenselve. "It's the same in Savannah," said one, "as it is in New York, or most other big towns. At these modern dances they are getting away with stuff that five years ago they wouldn't stand for outside the Red Light districts, and not even in all of them." Wheezel

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Crash Between Automobile and Team of Mules
Is Narrowly Averted.

Ing Basketball Game.

New York University defeated the Wesleyan College basketball team in a fast game, played in the University Heights gymnasium, last night. The Score was 24 to 19. Not more than two points separated the teams throughout the contest, with the Violet five taking a safe lead in the last five minutes of play.

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Philadelphia, March 10.—Joseph Mayer, of this city, bettered his high average record in the national ama-teur billiard tournament in this afterteur billiard tournament in this airco-moon's game when he defeated Charles Heddon, of Dowagiac, Mich., by a score of 400 to 164, in twenty innings. May-er's high run was 73, Heddon's best effort was 31 and his high average

VICTORY FOR N. Y. U. FIVE MAYER BETTERS HIS Defeats Wesleyan After Slash ing Basketball Game. HIGH AVERAGE MARK The portlight

The Bush to the Big League.

I send you my sons and my favorite ones,
The sons that I love the best;
I send them to you when I know they are due
And ready to meet the test; I send you my sons, but it isn't a gift;
It's merely a loan, for when
They have served out their day of "promotion and pay" They come to my arms again

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Good Pitching Material

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RITCHIE IS SURE HE'LL WIN AND SO IS FREDDIE

By BRIGGS

Boxers Who Meet To-night Are Both Brimful of Confidence.

WILLIE HAS FINAL TROT ON THE ROADS

Welsh, at Oceanport, Also Takes Things Easily on Day Before the Big Battle.

If one were to gaze into Willia Bitchi, a frank blue eyes and listen to his persuasive voice for five minutes that same one would go out to day and hock the family insurance in his avidity to bet that Willie will knock out Freddie Welsh, the lightweight champion, in the ten-round hout at Madison Square Garden to-night.

Conversely, if one were to lead his ear while Welsh described in minute detail just how and why he was going to make Willie look foolish for the tenround session that one again would

to make Willie look facilish for the ten round session that one again would wager all the cash in linels Sam's Wal Street Sub-Treasury against the stree fakers' iron crosses that Fredde is still going to be the champion when the Garden bout comes to an end this

away from the ringside to-night, because grievous disappointment is in store one way or the other. Both of them cannot win.

Now that all the training has been done by Freddie and Willie, it only remains for them to go through with their little affair in the Gardan Ritchie confined himself yesterday to a little trot on the roads and limbering up exercises in Grupp's gymnasium, which found him at just 134 is pounds, half a pound below the notch at which he must weigh in at Considine's cafe this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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Welsh, down at Oceanport, N. went through the same schedule at tipped the beam at exactly 135 pound

\$10,000 mark. Loosen up, boys; loos

Jack Britton, the Chicago lightweight, expects to find a tough customer he Phil Bloom, of Brooklyn, whom he neets in a ten-round hout at the Irring Athletic Club, of Brooklyn, on Satur day night. The winner of this bout ha been promised a match with the winner of the Welsh-Ritchie affair, and that's enough incentive to make both mer train hard. The usual preliminaries will be staged.

Willie Ritchie will attend the mannee performance of the musical comety "Maid in America" to-day, at the Wister Gardon, as the guest of Harry Caroll, the composer of the music. Wills believes that after seeing this show is will go to the Garden to-night and we a lightweight championship "Made in America".

Willard Not Pleased with Terms for Bout



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